

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	James O. Gilkerson et al.	Examiner:	Scott Getzow
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Title:	IMPLANTABLE DEFIBRILLATORS WITH PROGRAMMABLE CROSS-CHAMBER BLANKING		

AMENDMENT & RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Commissioner for Patents
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In response to the Office Action dated January 15, 2010, please amend the application as follows:

This response is accompanied by a Petition, as well as the appropriate fee, to obtain a one-month extension of the period for responding to the Office action, thereby moving the deadline for response from April 15, 2010 to May 17, 2010 (since May 15, 2010 falls on a Saturday).